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1. THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY HAS A CONTINUING NEED FOR PROMPT REPORTING ON THE DEPARTURE AND ARRIVAL OF ALL TOP SOVIET AS WELL AS TOP PRC DIPLOMATS. SINCE BOTH COUNTRIES ARE CLOSED SOCIETIES, THE MOVEMENT OF THEIR DIPLOMATS CAN PRESAGE POLICY DISCUSSIONS OR POSSIBLE CHANGES. THE DEPARTURE OF A SOVIET CHIEF OF MISSION CAN BE INCONSEQUENTIAL (E.G. HOME LEAVE) OR SIGNIFICANT. THE IMPORTANCE, HOWEVER, CAN ONLY BE DETERMINED THROUGH ANALYSES OF ALL THE DATA ON ALL DIPLOMATS IN THIS CATEGORY INCLUDING THEIR TRAVEL. THE EMBASSY REPORTING OF MOVEMENTS OF SOVIET, CHINESE (PRC) AND HIGH RANKING OFFICIALS FROM A SELECT NUMBER OF OTHER BLOC COUNTRIES, E.G. NORTH KOREA, NORTH VIETNAM (REF. CA-7273) IS UNIQUE:

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PROVIDES STIMULUS FOR ANALYSING POSSIBLY DEEPER MEANING.

2. THE DEPARTMENT WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE CONTINUED
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